

Curriculum Vitae

Name of Staff : **Roger SCHMID**
Name of Firm : Skat Consulting Ltd., St. Gallen, Switzerland
Position : Water and Environmental Sanitation Specialist
Profession : Rural and Environmental Engineer EPFL
Date of Birth : April 6th, 1969
Years with Firm : 17 years
Nationality : Swiss

KEY COMPETENCIES

Roger Schmid's professional background is in rural and environmental engineering with 24 years of experience in strategy development and program management as well as design, planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of global initiatives, programs and projects in the fields of water and environmental sanitation, rural infrastructure, mobility and transport, and soil-water management. He has been engaged in development and disaster relief interventions as project director, program manager, backstopper, consultant and researcher in WASH, rural transport, social housing, small enterprise development and public-private partnerships establishing in Albania, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Chad, China, DR Congo, India, Kosovo, Madagascar, Mali, Moldova, Niger, Nepal, Rwanda, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan and Switzerland.

His strengths are on backstopping and coaching of implementing agencies and staff, project cycle management support, institutional development and capacity building, networking and knowledge management, policy development, situation analysis and evaluation of water sector endeavours. He excels in multi-stakeholder dialogues including community mobilisation, negotiation with protagonists, facilitation of decision taking processes and managing large interdisciplinary and multi-cultural teams, accumulating more than 10 years of field experience overseas.

AFFILIATIONS

AGUASAN Community of Practice – Core Member and Focal Point
 Swiss Water Partnership (SWP) - Member
 Rural Water Supply Network (RWSN) - Member
 International Forum for Rural Transport Development (IFRTD) - Member

EDUCATION

1989 - 1994 : M.Sc. in Rural Engineering with Specialisation in Environmental issues at the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Lausanne (EPFL)

LANGUAGES:

	Speaking	Reading	Writing
German (mother tongue)	excellent	excellent	excellent
English	excellent	excellent	excellent
French	excellent	excellent	excellent
Dutch	good	good	working knowledge
Spanish	working knowledge	working knowledge	basic
Malagasy	basic	basic	basic

Description:

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